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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of GARRISON et al.

Serial No.08/994,047

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required.
- Also attached: Supplemental Declaration and Power of Attorney [X]

fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	27	27	0	x \$18 =	\$0
Independent Claims	6	5	1	x \$78 =	\$78.00
Petition for Extension of Time for one (1) month, add \$110.00					
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## [X] A check in the amount of \$78.00 is attached

[X] Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-0429, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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